

Subject: Los Angeles Business Council Endorses House LA Initiative
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Friends,

At today's 2015 Mayoral Housing, Transportation & Jobs Summit the Los Angeles Business Council endorsed my House LA Initiative. The LABC is an organization with over 400 members from multiple sectors across Los Angeles, including: manufacturing, engineering, construction, finance, non-profit, healthcare, education, real estate and energy, among others.

The House LA initiative was created by Councilmember Gil Cedillo to address the housing crisis in Los Angeles and the need to build more affordability. These reforms will be crucial to increase the efficiency of the development process in Los Angeles, expanding housing options for Angelenos and lowering skyrocketing rents. This initiative further provides innovative solutions to address our need for over 82,000 additional housing units in the City of Los Angeles by 2021 including:

- Site plan review modifications;
- Permitting micro unit housing;
- Deferred building fees;
- Expanding the use of shared vehicles;
- Facilitating accessory dwelling units;
- Using city owned land as sites for affordable housing;
- And, expanding City Planning's Expedited Processing Section to reduce the time it takes to process an environmental impact report (EIR).

Thank you LABC for your support. I look forward to continue working with you.

Sincerely,

Gilbert A. Cedillo
Councilmember, First District

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